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Re: Applicant(s): Steven G. Fry, Shantanu Sarkar
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS SUPPORTING NETWORK
COMMUNICATIONS THROUGH A FIREWALL
Serial No.: 09/456,692
Examiner: Carl G. Colin
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate);
- (3) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (1 pages);
- (4) Preliminary Amendment (14 pages); and
- (5) Petition for Extension (1 page).

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED (fees computed under 37 CFR §1.9(f))

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>		<u>Rate</u>		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	58	Minus	106	=	0	x	\$ 18.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	6	Minus	16	=	0	x	\$ 86.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application								\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Continued Examination								\$ 770.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Extension of Time (Two Months)								\$ 420.00
<u>Total additional fee for this Amendment:</u>								\$	<u>1190.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of								\$ <u>1190.00</u>
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Respectfully submitted,

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